

ARTICLE VII

AMENDMENTS TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE

Section 7-1 General

This Ordinance may be amended in conformance with the New Hampshire State Statutes. 3-12-63

This Ordinance is intended to be consistent with NHRSA enabling legislation and to the extent that any portion hereof is or shall become inconsistent with said enabling legislation this Ordinance shall be invalid to that extent. 3-5-74

Section 7-2 Referral of Amendments to Planning Board

Upon the petition of twenty-five voters for an amendment to the Zoning Ordinance, the Planning Board shall proceed and submit the amendment or amendments to the Voters of the Town as prescribed in RSA 675:4. The Planning Board may not reject the amendment or amendments proposed by petition but shall submit the proposed amendment or amendments to the voters as offered by the petition. The petitioners shall submit the proposed amendment or amendments to the Zoning Ordinance in correct form as determined by the Selectmen. The following question shall be submitted to the voters: " Are you in favor of the adoption of the amendment to the Zoning Ordinance as proposed by petition of the voters of this Town ?". The approval or disapproval of the Planning Board shall also be noted on the ballot immediately following the question. In the event that there shall be more than a single proposed amendment to be submitted to the voters at any given meeting, the issue as to the several amendments shall be put in the following manner: "Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No..... as proposed by petition of the voters for this Town?". (Here insert topical description of substance of amendment.) The approval or disapproval of the Planning Board shall also be noted on the ballot immediately following the question. An amendment proposed by petition shall be submitted to the voters at an annual Town or Village District meeting. 11-2-82